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ACTION STR-04

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 EA-09 IO-13 ISO-00 STRE-00 AID-05
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FM AMEMBASSY CANBERRA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9804
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FOR KELLY, STR

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, MTN, AS

SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS: FOOTWEAR

REF: (A) KELLY LETTER DTD 2/11/77; (B) CANBERRA A-006, 1/26/77
(C) 76 CANBERRA A-040

1. ENCLOSURE TO UNNUMBERED AIRGRAM ENCLOSED REF (A) NOT
RECEIVED, NOR HAS OFFICIAL COPY OF AIRGRAM ARRIVED. EMBASSY
IS THEREFORE UNABLE TO VERIFY STR INFO ON AUSTRALIAN
IMPORT RESTRAINTS ON FOOTWEAR.

2. FOLLOWING, HOWEVER, ARE CURRENT AUSTRALIAN RESTRICTIONS
ON FOOTWEAR IMPORTS:

(A) GLOBAL QUOTA RESTRICTIONS WERE IMPOSED OCTOBER 1, 1974,
INITIALLY FOR ONE YEAR. INITIAL PERIOD HAS BEEN SUCCESSIVELY
EXTENDED AND QUOTA PERIOD NOW ENDS DECEMBER 31, 1977. AN
INDUSTRIES ASSISTANCE COMMISSION REPORT ON LONG TERM ASSISTANCE
AND CONTINUATION OF QUOTAS IS DUE TO BE PRESENTED TO THE
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GOVERNMENT BY SEPTEMBER 30, 1977.

(B) CURRENT ANNUAL LEVELS OF RESTRAINT ARE:
LEATHER FOOTWEAR - 140 PERCENT OF VOLUME OF 1972-73 IMPORTS
(APPROX. 5,583 MILLION PAIRS)
NON-LEATHER FOOTWEAR - 18.1 MILLION PAIRS
PARTS FOR FOOTWEAR - 140 PERCENT OF VALUE OF 1973-74

IMPORTS (APPROX. A DOLS 1,953 MILLION).

3. TARIFF RATE ON FOOTWEAR IS 34 PERCENT AD VALOREM.
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